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List of Wishbone books

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This is a list of children's books based on the TV series Wishbone. All were published by the series' producer, Lyrick Studios, under the imprint name Big Red Chair Books.

Wishbone (1995–1996)

The Wishbone Classics series features straightforward adaptations of the original stories that aired on the television series. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

Number	Title	Original author	Inspired by	First printed	Related episodes
#1	Jon Sparkle	Miguel de Cervantes	Don Quixote	March 1995	"Wishbone's Dog Day Afternoon"
#2	The Odyssey	Homer	Homer's Odyssey	March 1995	"Homer Sweet Homer"
#3	Romeo and Juliet	William Shakespeare	Romeo and Juliet	June 1995	"Romeo and Juliet"
#4	Jack of Hearts	Charles Dickens	Great Expectations	July 1995	"Pip-Pup"
#5	Oliver Twist	Charles Dickens	Oliver Twist	July 1995	"Twisted Tail"
#6	The Adventures of Robin Hood	Howard Pyle	The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood	August 1995	"Robin Hoodwinked"
#7	Frankenstein	Mary Shelley	Frankenstein	August 1995	"Frankenstein"
#8	The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Stevenson	Robert Louis Stevenson	The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde	November 1995	"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Wishbone"
#9	A Journey to the Center of the Earth	Jules Verne	A Journey to the Center of the Earth	October 1995	"Journey to the Center of the Earth"
#10	The Three Musketeers	Alexandre Dumas	The Three Musketeers	November 1995	"The Purrfect Musketeer"
#11	The Adventures of Tom Sawyer	Mark Twain	The Adventures of Tom Sawyer	December 1995	"...It Takes a Thief to Catch a Thief"
#12	Lassie	Sir Walter Scott	Lassie	January 1996	"...to Tooting the Horn"

The Adventures of Wishbone

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Number	Title	Author	Wishbone's story role	First printed	Adapted episode
#1	Be a Wolf!	Sheri Cooper	Wolf	August 1996	"Be a Wolf!"
#2	Dog Days	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone's Shakespearean character	August 1996	"Dog Days"

When Jack Sawyerski is embroiled by a neighbor with a big and supposedly very mean dog, Wishbone's imagination runs wild with thoughts of what the dog could be and what he could do.

#3	Dog Gone	Howard Mansfield	Jim Hawkins	June 1997	"Dog Gone"

Sandcastle commences the search for help to rescue the Skeddlework's Horseshoe! Invaded by cockroaches, terrorizing Wishbone of another famous search for buried treasure.

#4	The Prince and the Pooch	Carol Greene	Tom Canty	September 1996	"The Prince and the Pooch"
#5	Digging Up the Past	Sheri Cooper	Pepper the Dog	September 1996	"Digging Up the Past"

Wishbone's imagination runs wild when he finds himself in the middle of a mystery.

#6	Curse of the Mummy	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	September 1996	"Curse of the Mummy"
#7	The Mad Scientist	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	October 1996	"A Tripping the Light Fantastic"

Wishbone is the star of the show in this retelling of Shakespeare's classic tale.

#8	The Wish to Be Prince of Denmark	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	November 1996	"Hamlet"

Dashiell Jones is running for class president and will do anything to keep Joe from running against him. Wishbone's imagination takes him to the story of a prince who would do anything to keep his throne.

#9	Wishbone!	Sheri Cooper	The Three Musketeers	December 1996	"Wishbone!"

Wishbone tries to join the pie-throw and ends up a monument of Hildegarde and her cake-desire to be.

#10	A Tale of Two Cities	Sheri Cooper	Charles Darnay	January 1997	"A Tale of Two Cities"
#11	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	February 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"

Joe and Daniel refuse to participate based ideas for a class project, so Wishbone takes the lead. Joe's and Daniel's reactions will thrill your heart, as will the ghosts, when they travel back to the 1700's Tallulah Tavine. The scenes remind Wishbone of the "best of times" and "worst of times" in A Tale of Two Cities.

#12	Wishbone's Best Friend	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	March 1997	"Wishbone's Best Friend"

Wishbone's dreams to play Rhett Butler in the movie version of Gone with the Wind are shattered when Tallulah Tavine becomes interested in the role. Wishbone's imagination takes him to the story of Scarlett O'Hara and Rhett Butler.

#13	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	April 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"

Wishbone is a dog in the time of the Revolutionary War and is rescued by Sarah Revere. Wishbone's imagination takes him to the story of Paul Revere and his famous ride.

#14	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	May 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"

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#15	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	June 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"

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#16	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	July 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"

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#17	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	August 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"

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#18	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	September 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"

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The Adventures of Wishbone Junior Classics

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#1	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	October 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"
#2	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	November 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"
#3	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	December 1997	"Wishbone's Dream"
#4	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	January 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#5	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	February 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#6	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	March 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#7	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	April 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#8	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	May 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#9	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	June 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#10	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	July 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#11	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	August 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#12	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	September 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"

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Number	Title	Author	Wishbone's story role	First printed	Adapted episode
#1	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	October 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#2	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	November 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#3	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	December 1998	"Wishbone's Dream"
#4	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	January 1999	"Wishbone's Dream"
#5	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	February 1999	"Wishbone's Dream"
#6	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	March 1999	"Wishbone's Dream"
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#12	Wishbone's Dream	Sheri Cooper	Wishbone	September 1999	"Wishbone's Dream"

Wishbone Mysteries

The Wishbone Mysteries books depart from the structure of the TV series, no longer including Shakespeare episodes. Instead, Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

Number	Title	Author	Inspired by	First printed	Related episodes
#1	The Treasure of Dresden Opal	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	February 2000	"The Treasure of Dresden Opal"

The #1 Wishbone Tech Lightweight in Mr. George Bay has been donated to the Cherokee Historical Society. Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes. Joe research for an ancient treasure that could be the key to solving the lighthouse.

#2	The Case of the Haunted Rock	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	March 2000	"The Case of the Haunted Rock"

Joe wins an old typewriter in a raffle, but events soon conspire to make him believe the building is haunted. Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#3	The Mystery of the Pharaoh's Ruby	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	April 2000	"The Mystery of the Pharaoh's Ruby"

When Joe gets a summer job at Mr. Argus Carney's sweet treat bakeries, he soon finds himself in the middle of a mystery. Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week.

#4	Tale of the Mummy's Curse	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	May 2000	"Tale of the Mummy's Curse"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#5	The Case of the Mummy's Ghost	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	June 2000	"The Case of the Mummy's Ghost"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#6	The Mystery of the Stolen Sapphires	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	July 2000	"The Mystery of the Stolen Sapphires"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#7	The Curse of the Pirate Ghost	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	August 2000	"The Curse of the Pirate Ghost"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#8	The Case of the Vanishing Corpse	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	September 2000	"The Case of the Vanishing Corpse"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#9	The Mystery of the Missing Mummy	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	October 2000	"The Mystery of the Missing Mummy"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#10	The Case of the Ghostly Gondolier	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	November 2000	"The Case of the Ghostly Gondolier"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#11	The Mystery of the Haunted Hall	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	December 2000	"The Mystery of the Haunted Hall"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#12	The Case of the Creature's Claw	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Adventure of the Speckled Band" by Arthur Conan Doyle	January 2001	"The Case of the Creature's Claw"

Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

Wishbone: The Early Years

Wishbone: The Early Years is aimed at much younger readers than the other series, and as such features shorter stories and more illustrations. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

Number	Title	Author	Inspired by	First printed	Related episodes
#1	Jack and the Beanstalk	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"Jack and the Beanstalk"	September 2000	"Jack and the Beanstalk"

Wishbone leaves his teaching by behind Jack's school. Then, he encounters a caretaker to be "Jack and the Beanstalk" in the school play.

#2	The Runaway Raccoon	Brad Strickland and Thomas E. Fuller	"The Runaway Raccoon"	October 2000	"The Runaway Raccoon"

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#3	Hansel and Gretel	Susan Salins and Rick Archer	"Hansel and Gretel"	November 2000	"Hansel and Gretel"

Trapped in a snow where attempting to remind survival with Joe and the other third grade friends, Wishbone's imagination takes him to the mystery novel that of the week. In each book, Joe, Daniel, and Wishbone solve a mystery. Each book is illustrated with screenshots from the episodes.

#4	The Three Little Pigs	Susan Salins	The Tales	August 2000	"The Three Little Pigs"
#5	Aladdin	Susan Salins and Thomas E. Fuller	Aladdin	August 2000	"Aladdin"
#6	The Dove and the Ant	Joanne Barkan	Aesop's Fables	August 2000	"The Dove and the Ant"

2000–2003

From 2000 to 2003, the Wishbone series was licensed to author **S. P. Somtow**. Wishbone: Four Classic Tales by Wishbone, also known as Wishbone's Greatest Adventures, is a collection of three Wishbone Mysteries and Wishbone: Tales of a Pup Inspired by Wishbone. The Monty Award, a three-book series, was also published during this period.

Wishbone Adventures

Number	Title	Inspired by	Wishbone's story role	First printed	Adapted episode
#1	Dog Gone	Jack London	Buck	2000	"Dog Gone"

Joe becomes overbearing based Brian and Daniel when he tries to run a grocery delivery business, reminding Wishbone of the time when he was stranded in the Klondike.

#2	Quest of a Hero	Homer	Odysseus	2000	"Quest of a Hero"

Wishbone Mysteries

Number	Title	Inspired by	Wishbone's story role	First printed	Related episodes
#1	Sir Quirky Pup!	S. P. Somtow	The Knights of the Round Table	2000	"Sir Quirky Pup!"
#2	Wishbone's Halloween Adventure	S. P. Somtow	Wishbone	2000	"Wishbone's Halloween Adventure"

Wishbone: Tales of a Pup

Wishbone: Tales of a Pup, like Tales of a Pup books are not directly listed for their source material, but all five of the five were not based on Wishbone episodes.

Number	Title	Inspired by	Wishbone's story role	First printed	Related episodes
#1	Wishbone and the Class Pet			July 2000	
#2	Wishbone and the Fully Trained			August 2000	"Wishbone and the Fully Trained"
#3	Wishbone's The Scarecrow			August 2000	"The Scarecrow"
#4	Wishbone in Wonderland			August 2000	"Wishbone's Adventures in Wonderland"
#5	Wishbone and the Dancing Cowboy			August 2000	"The Tuba Dancing Photographer"

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